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P.W. DEPARTMENT
K. BRANCH

Subject:— Street Lighting Conditions at HAVERI

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Haveri Municipality.
Subject:- Supply of Electricity for street lighting.

No. 267 of 1952-53.
Municipal office.
Haveri. D. 9-7-1952.

To

The Assistant Secretary,
Public Works Department to the Government of Bombay,
Fort, Bombay 1.

Sir,

I have the honour to inform you that the Manvi Brothers of Gadag are supplying electric energy to Haveri for street lights and also for domestic and other purposes. The supply of electricity is quite unsatisfactory and reports were submitted to Government of and on to cancel the license of this Company and hand over the concern to the Municipality for running it properly. But it is very much regretted to know that no drastic action has been taken against the company and no active pressure brought on the said company to make necessary improvements. The street lights are so dim that they are no better than ordinary chimnees. The public of Haveri are very much inconvenienced for want of proper street lights and are complaining as to why they should pay the lighting tax to the Municipality when the Municipality has not made proper arrangement for street lighting. The following defects are found to exist since long and the --- electric company has not taken any action to remedy these defects even though they are brought to its notice every now and then.

Defects:-

(a) The electric company has not stationed any qualified local engineer to keep the engines in proper order and to repair the engines immediately whenever the engines fail. There is no efficient and proper staff to attend to the public grievances. Whenever the defects are pointed out the existing staff instead of setting the matters at right point out to the Head office at Gadag. So the defects go on without a remedy and it goes very difficult in times of emergency, to contact with the Gadag Head quarter and get the defects remedied.

(b) Wiring is done out of old stock and the lights go off even at the slow gust of wind.

(c) There are temporary connections between the main line and the street lights since long. Some poles are so weak that they are not in a position to stand the force of the wind.

(d) Some streets are not having electric supply for street lights and some streets have not got private supply line. Some lines which are described in the license have no current supply since the begining.

(e) The voltage is low since two years. Some people use 110 volt bulbs in place of 230. There are break downs during every week. Lights go off every day at interval, since 6 months. The voltage is very low between 7-0 P.M. and 9-0 P.M. The electric company attribute the poor voltage to the want of proper materials They have made no progress with the materials which they can gradually get. They do not make any attempts to redress the public grievances.

(f) They already know that the old engines are not working properly and that they fail every now and then. Knowing this fully well they are again installing old engines which were lying in the power house premises for more than a year. Under these circumstances there is no hope to get any relief in future also.

There is no switch board in the new power house and we doubt whether a switch board is purchased at all.

The proprietor of this electricity was afforded sufficient time for making improvements but no improvements are seen at any time. Whenever inspectors come here for inspection, the proprietor makes only a show and gives promises of further improvements but he never cares to fulfill his promise. Some of the electric poles are standing in the streets without wiring for about a year and some of them are in a position to fall down. There is wire in the power house and no wiring is carried out.

These are some of the glaring defects. Under these circumstances there is no hope to get any relief so long as the present

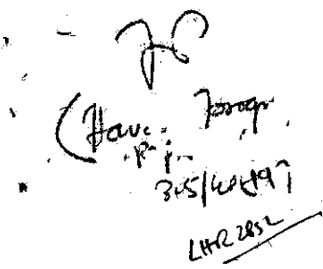
proprietor holds the license. I therefore request you to recommend strongly to Government to cancel the license of the present proprietor and take charge of the power house.

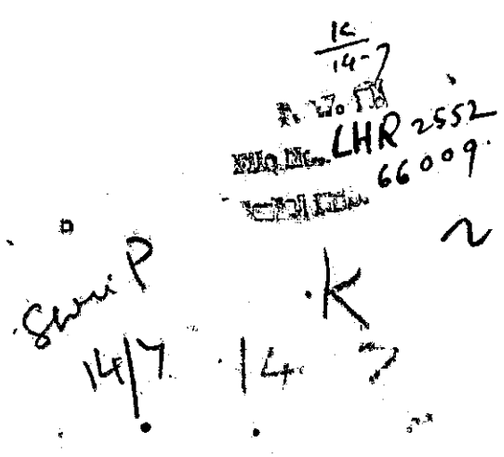
Yours faithfully,

President,
Haveri Municipality.

A copy of this letter has been given to the Assistant Electric Inspector Dharwar who visited this place on 9-7-52. All the defects were pointed to him personally and the matter was fully explained to him and he has been requested to report the facts in detail to Government.

President,
Haveri Municipality.

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2/- The President, Haveri Municipality has complained vc: defective supply at Haveri. Main complaints are that there is no efficient & proper staff at the Power House, wiring is old/h new sets are not installed, proper voltage is not maintained &c. He therefore requests that Govt shd revoke the licence of the existing licensee at ~~Dhd~~ Haveri & shd. take over possession of the Ely Undertaking.

3/- In this connection may be stated that the licensee has been asked to install new A.C. sets to improve supply position at Haveri. He has accordingly purchased new sets and the work of the erection of these sets in progress, vide, letter No. dated the 30.5.52, from the licensee.

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x 2 fr No. LHR 2465
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A Skip B
fr No. LHR 2654/52
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4/- ~~A copy from the~~ It will be seen from 'A' on p. 5 ante that the President, Haveri Muny. has given a copy of ~~the~~ his representation within pp 1-5 to the Electric Sub-Inspector, Dharwar, cot on the 9.7.52. The Elect. Engr. may therefore be requested to submit report on the various complaints made by the President Haveri Muny.

5/- Necy. draft is put up for approval.

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* [Below copy of letter No. Ph1-5/267, dated the 9/10-7-52, from the President, Haveri Municipality, re: Supply of elty. for street lights at Haveri]

No. LHR 2552K

P.W.D
B.C. (Bombay No. 1)
25th July 1952.

Copy forwarded to the Elect. Engr. to Govt. for favour of early remarks, thereon

By order etc,

Asstt. Secy.

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Subject:- Haveri Municipality.
Supply of Electricity for street lighting.

No. 279 of 1952-53.
Municipal office.
Haveri. D. 12-7-1952.

To

The Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department, Fort, Bombay.1.

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No.267 of 9/10-7-1952, on the subject noted above, I have the honour to inform you that the street lights were not lighted at all on 8th and 9th instant and on the 10th instant they were lighted after 9-0 P.M. i.e., after the shops are closed and thus caused inconvenience to the public, traffic and also to pedestrians in the early part of the night. Early action may please be taken as suggested in this office letter No.267 of 9/10-7-1952.

Yours faithfully,

President,
Haveri Municipality.

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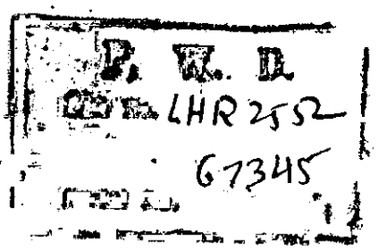

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Please see the letter p. 11. No. 279, dt. the 12-7-52, from the President, Haveri Municipality, regarding street lighting conditions at Haveri.

2. The remarks of the El. Engr. on the President's p. 11. complaints may be called for in addition to those called for as per Govt. Endt. p. 9. No. ∠HR 2552 K, dt. the 25-7-52 p. 15-16

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(Below copy of letter No. 279, dt. the 12-7-52, from the President, Haveri Municipality, regarding supply of electricity for street lights at Haveri).

No. ∠HR2552K. P.W.D.

B. C. (Bombay No. 1),
30th July, 52.

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By order etc.

A.S. to Govt.

Amount - (30-8-52)
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Subject:- Haveri Municipality.
Supply of Electricity for street lighting.

No. 366 of 1952-53.
Municipal office.
Haveri. D. 8-8-52.

To

The Assistant Electric Inspector, Dharwar.

Sir,

I have the honour to bring to your notice another glaring instance of irresponsible attitude and inefficient management of the staff kept at Haveri by the Electric Company. The Police Sub Inspector Haveri sent a word that due to Nagar Panchmi holiday it is likely that thefts would be committed in the town and that as a precautionary measure the street lights should be lighted from 7.P.M. up to 5-0 A.M. for one week ie., from 25-7-52 to 31-7-52. Accordingly the Manager of the Electric company was requested to comply with the suggestion of the Police Sub Inspector Haveri, in the interest of the public. But the Manager did not comply with this request. He gave a curt reply that the Municipality itself should obtain telegraphic sanction from the Gadag Head Office for this purpose. This is the way how the Electric company is conducting the business at Haveri.

Now that the crude oil and other materials are available in sufficient quantity, The Electric company should therefore please be directed to give street lights for 12 hours. The street lights are at present in no way better than ordinary chimnies. There are no reasonable grounds for not making improvements in this connection. You are therefore requested to take immediate action in the matter.

Yours faithfully,
sd/- G. G. Nagani,
President,
Haveri Municipality.

Copy W.C. to

The Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bombay P.W.D. Fort Bombay in continuation of this office No 279 of 12-7-52.

President,
Haveri Municipality.

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Pl. see the letter No. 366, d. the 8/11-8-52 from the President, Havari Munj., addressed to the Asstt. Electric Inspector, Dharwar and copy endorsed to Govt. reg. street lighting conditions at Haveri

2. A copy of the letter within may be forwarded to the El. Engr. to Govt. with a request to offer remarks in the matter. Similar complaints were recd. from the President, Havari Munj. and have been forwarded to the El. Engr. to Govt. for favour of remarks vide G.E. No. LHR 252 K, d. the 30-7-52. He may also be expedited for the same. The requ. draft is put up for apptl.

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No. LHR 2552 k. Letter.

P. W. D.
BC (Bbay No. I)
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To

The El. Engr. to Govt.

Subject:- Street lighting conditions at Haveri.

A copy (p. 17) of the letter No. 366, dt. the 11-8-52, from the President, Haveri Muny., addressed to the Assistant El. Inspector, Dharwar and endorsed to this office is forwarded herewith. You are requested to offer early remarks in the matter.

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2. You are also requested to expedite the submission (p. 15) of the report called for in C. E. No. LHR 2552 k, dt. the 30-7-52.

Copy (p. 17)

By order etc.

D. A - Copy of letter with to 18/8/52

Asstt. Secy.

Haveri Municipality.
Subject:- Supply of Electricity for street lighting.

No.368 of 1952-53,
Municipal office.
Haveri. D. 11-8-52.

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To

The Assistant Secretary to the Government of Bombay
P.W.D. Bombay.

Sir,

I have the honour to invite your kind attention to this office letter No. 267 of 9/10-7-52 regarding the gross negligence and inefficient management of the proprietor of the Electric company and the staff engaged at Haveri and to inform you that the matters are going from bad to worse. The electric company is not taking any steps to remedy the defects pointed in this office letter No. 267 of 9/10-7-52. On the other hand the engines are now failing very often, the public are experiencing black out every now and then during cloudy nights and the public grievances are intolerable. In the interest of the public I again request you to cancel the license of the present proprietor and further suggest that either the Government should take charge of the concern immediately or it may be handed over to the Municipality for making necessary improvements and for running the concern efficiently.

Yours faithfully,

President,
Haveri Municipality.

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Haveri Municipality.

Subject:- Supply of Electricity for street lighting.

No. 366 of 1952-53.
Municipal office.
Haveri. D. 8-8-52.

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Yours faithfully,
Sd/- G.G. Nagavi.
President,
Haveri Municipality.

Copy w.c to
The Minister to the Government of Bombay P.W.D. Bombay with a request to take immediate action in the matter.

President,
Haveri Municipality.

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The letters Nos. 366 and 368 dt. the 11th Aug. 1952 and 12 Aug. 1952 reply from the President, Haveri Muny. are submitted for information.

2. Pl. see in this connection letter on p/17 ante and the G.L. No. LHR 2552-k, dt. the 22-8-52. It will be seen therefrom that letter on p/17 ante is a copy of letter on p/17 ante. As such, it need not be sent again to the El. Engr. to Govt. for remarks. His report in the matter may be awaited

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The El. Engg. expedited under ~~No.~~
No. LHR 2552 K dt. 6-10-52

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The El. Engr. to Govt. expedited again under No. LHR 2552-K, dated the 12th November 1952.

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Date 12/11/52

No. LRM 64 | 13428 of 1952.
P.W.D. Offices, Churchgate Street,
Fort, Bombay(1), 24th December 1952.

To

The Secretary to Government,
Public Works Department.
Bombay.

Subject:- Street lighting conditions at Haveri.

Reference: Endorsements Public Works Department Nos.LHR 2552 K, dated the 25th and 30th July 1952, and Government Letter of even number dated the 22nd August 1952.

2. The complaints made by the President of the Haveri Municipality have been investigated and the following information is submitted in respect of each of the complaints in the President's letter No.267, dated 9th July 1952, addressed to Government.

(a) The Supply Company has not appointed an Engineer so far to hold the charge of its Power House. The Supply Company is being requested to make immediate arrangements for the appointment of a qualified engineer and to intimate his name to this office.

(b) It is true that distribution mains have become loose at places but this is said to be due to the antics of the monkeys. The Supply Company has assured however to tighten the same shortly.

(c) According to the approved method of construction, street lights should have been wired through pipe; but due to the short circuit, troubles experienced, the same are wired directly to the B.C. wires. The Supply Company has erected some 70 additional poles for the Municipality but no wires are drawn on them due to shortage of materials. Some of these poles have gone out of plumb.

(d) Following are the streets which have been provided with street light mains:
i) Pendhari galli (ii) Manigar galli (iii) Gudsal galli (iv) Galli joining Hukkerimath road and Tolwar lane.

(e) The voltage has since been improved as one set of 10 K.W.D.C. was repaired and put into use in July and two A.C. sets were put in use in August 1952. There are two feeders on A.C. Supply and two feeders on D.C. Supply.

(f) The Supply Company has undertaken the work of conversion of the Supply from D.C. to A.C. and has accordingly installed two A.C. Sets. New Switchboards are being prepared by the Supply Company.

As regards the President's complaint in his letter No.270 dated 12th July 1952 that the street lights were not lighted on 8th and 9th July and lighted after 9 P.M. on 10th July 1952, it is ascertained from the Supply Company that the ~~xixhx~~ lights were lighted during July from 7 P.M. to 1-30 A.M. according to the schedule of the Municipality. This fact has also been confirmed by verifying the log sheets of the month maintained by the Supply Company. The Power House starts working from 6 P.M. and closes down at 1-30 A.M. It was not within the competence of the Local Manager of the Supply Company to keep the street lights on till 5 A.M. beyond the scheduled time as requested by the Municipality and hence he seems to have advised the President to obtain sanction from his head office at Gadag.

As regards, the conversion from D.C. to A.C. it is observed that 2 A.C. sets of 400 volts A.C. each of 25 K.VA.

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and 12.5 K.V.A. are already put into commission on 15th August 1952 and the 3rd one of 51 K.V.A. (A.C.) on 18th October 1952. One 31 K.V.A. A.C. generator for the 4th set is already kept ready in the new Power House but the lister Engine for the same is to be shifted there from the old power House. In the town nearly 3/4 of the supply has been converted from D.C. to A.C. while the work of conversity the remaining is in progress.

In the town there were in all 240 street lights with wattages varying between 30 to 100 watts each and they were all on D.C. Supply and were connected through 4 D.C. meters in the old power House. 47 additional street lights were provided between the period from 18th August 1952 and 16th November 1952, making the total to 287 lights. Out of these public lamps 101 lights are still on D.C. while 186 have now been connected on the A.C. supply and fed through 1 A.C. meter kept in the Power House. It is learnt that a temporary agreement has been reached between the Licensee and the Municipality who have agreed to pay for the street lights at 0-8-0 per unit including the cost of maintenance.

The investigating officer of this department tried to contact personally the President but as he was out of the Station he could not see him. The officer has however seen the Secretary and the Sanitary Inspector of the Municipality and learnt from them that the condition of supply in town in general, is much improved and the Supply Company is also trving to bring about more improvements. There are therefore no complaints except that the Supply Company may be urged upon to expedite the remaining conversion.

Electrical Engineer to Government.

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To

The President,
Haveri Municipality,
Municipal Office,
Haveri.

P.W.D.,
B.C. (B'thday No.1),
5th January 1953.

Subject:- Street lighting conditions at Haveri.

Sir,

With refce. to the corres. ending with your endt. No: 366, dt. the 8/11-8-1952 (P-25), on the above-mentioned subject, I am directed to state that the complaints made in your letter No: 267, dt. the 9-7-1952, have been investigated and to inform you that:- P-1

(a). The supply company is being requested to make immediate arrangements for the appointment of a qualified engineer and to intimate his name to the El. Engr. to Govt.

(b). It is true that distribution mains have become loose at places, but this is said to be due to the antics of the monkeys. The supply Coy. has, however, assured to tighten the same monthly.

(C) According to the approved method of construction, street lights are regd. to be wired through Pipe, but due to the short circuit, troubles experienced, the same are wired directly to the B.C. wires. The supply Coy. has erected some 70 addl. poles for the mungy., but no wires are drawn on them due to shortage of materials. Consequently, some of these poles have gone out of plumb.

(d). The voltage has since been improved as one set of 10 k.w.d.c. was repaired and put into use in July 1952, and two A.C. sets were put in use in August 1952. There are two feeders on A.C. supply and two feeders on d.c. supply.

(e). The supply Coy. has undertaken the work of conversion of the supply from d.c. to A.C. and has accordingly installed two A.C. sets. New switch boards are being prepared by the supply Coy.

2. As regards your complaint in your letter No: 279 P-11 dt. the 12-7-1952 that the street lights were not lighted on 8th & 9th July and lighted after 9 P.M. on 10th July 1952, it is ascertained from the supply Coy. that the lights were lighted during July 1952

from 7 P.M. to 1-30 A.M. according to the schedule of the Muncy. This fact has also been confirmed by verifying the log sheets of the month maintained by the Supply Coy. The Power House starts working from 6 P.M. and closes down at 1-30 A.M. It was not within the competence of the local Manager of the Supply Coy. to keep the street lights on till 5 A.M., beyond the scheduled time as requested by the Muncy. and hence he seems to have advised you to obtain sanction from his head office at Gadag.

3. As regards the conversion from D.C. to A.C. it is observed that 2 A.C. Sets of 400 volts A.C. each of 25 K.V.A. and 12.5 K.V.A. are already put into commission on 15-8-1952 and the 3rd one of 51 K.V.A. (A.C.) on 18-10-1952. One 31 K.V.A. A.C. generator for the 4th Set is already kept ready in the new Power House, but the lister engine for the same is to be shifted there from the old Power House. In the town nearly 3/4 of supply has been converted from D.C. to A.C. while the work of converting the remaining is in progress.

4. It is learnt that a temporary agreement has been reached between the Licensee and the Muncy., and the Muncy. have agreed to pay for the street lights at 0-8-0 per unit including the cost of maintenance.

5. The investigating officer of the El. Engr. to Govt. tried to contact you personally, but as you were out of station he could not see you. The officer has however seen the Secy. & the Sanitary Inspector of the Muncy. and learnt from them that the condition of supply in town, in general, is much improved and the supply Coy. is also trying to bring about more improvements.

N.A.Nil.

Yours faithfully,

D.E. to the Govt. of Bombay,
P.W.D.

Copy forwarded to the El. Engr. to Govt. with refee. to his letter No: SRM 64/13428, dt. the 24-12-1952.

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P.W.D.,
B.C. (B'bay No. 1),
5th January 1953.

To

The Manager,
Manvi Brothers,
Electric Light & Power suppliers,
Gadag, District Dharwar.

Subject:- Electric supply at Haveri.

Sir,

It has been brought to the notice of Govt. that the work of conversion from D.C. to A.C. system is going rather slow. In the town only 3/4 of the supply has been converted from D.C. to A.C. system, while the remaining 1/4 of the supply has yet to be converted. You are therefore requested to expedite the remaining conversion.

Yours faithfully,

D.S. to the Govt. of Bombay,
P.W.D.

DA. Nil.

Copy forwarded to the Exl. Engr. to Govt. with ref.ce. to his letter No: LRM 64/13428, P. 29 dt. the 24-12-1952.

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Issue drafts on pp. 32-34 and return with C.C.S
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Public Works Department,
Bombay Castle(Bombay No. 1),
5th January 1953.

From

The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department.

To

The President,
Haveri Municipality, Municipal Office, Haveri.

Subject:- Street lighting conditions at Haveri.

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Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your endorsement No.366, dated the 8th/11th August 1952, on the above-mentioned subject, I am directed to state that the complaints made in your letter No.267, dated the 9th July 1952, have been investigated and to inform you that :-

(a) The supply company is being requested to make immediate arrangements for the appointment of a qualified engineer and to intimate his name to the Electrical Engineer to Government.

(b) It is true that distribution mains have become loose at places, but this is said to be due to the antics of the monkeys. The Supply Company has, however, assured to tighten the same shortly.

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3. As regards the conversion from D.C. to A.C. it is observed that 2 A.C. sets of 400 volts A.C. each of 25 K.V.A. and 12.5 K.V.A. are already put into commission on 15th August 1952 and the 3rd of 51 K.V.A.(A.C.) on 18th October 1952. One 31 K.V.A. A.C. generator for the 4th set is already kept ready in the new Power House, but the lister engine for the same is to be shifted there from the old Power House. In the town nearly 3/4 of supply has been converted from D.C. to A.C. while the work of converting the remaining is in progress.

4. It is learnt that a temporary agreement has been reached between the Licensee and the Municipality, and the Municipality have agreed to pay for the street lights at 0-8-0 per unit including the cost of maintenance.

5. The investigating officer of the Electrical Engineer to Government tried to contact you personally, but as you were out of station he could not see you. The officer has however seen the Secretary and the Sanitary Inspector of the Municipality and learnt from them that the condition of supply in town, in general, is much improved and the Supply Company is also trying to bring about more improvements.

Yours faithfully,

O/C

Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bombay, Public Works Department.

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D.A.-Nil.

Copy forwarded to the Electrical Engineer to Government with reference to his letter No.LRM 64/13428, dated the 24th December 1952.

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No.LHR 2552 K-2. Public Works Department,
Bombay Castle(Bombay No. 1),
5th January 1953.

From

The Deputy Secretary to the Government of Bombay,
Public Works Department.

To

The Manager,
Manvi Brothers,
Electric Light and Power Suppliers,
Gadag, District Dharwar.

Subject:- Electric supply at Haveri.

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Sir,

It has been brought to the notice of Government that the work of conversion from D.C. to A.C. system is going rather slow. In the town only 3/4 of the supply has been converted from D.C. to A.C. system, while the remaining 1/4 of the supply has yet to be converted. You are therefore requested to expedite the remaining conversion.

Yours faithfully,

Deputy Secretary to the Government of
Bombay, Public Works Department.

D.A.-Nil.

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Sales Tax No. V. H. 303

MANVI BROTHERS.

Electric Light & Power Suppliers, GADAG (Dist. Dharwar)

Branches:
RANEBENNUR,
BYADGI AND
HAVERI.

Head Office:
GADAG.

Gadag, Date 9th January 1953.

To,
The Deputy Secretary to Govt. of Bombay,
Public Works Department, B o m b a y .

Sub:-Electric Supply at Haveri.

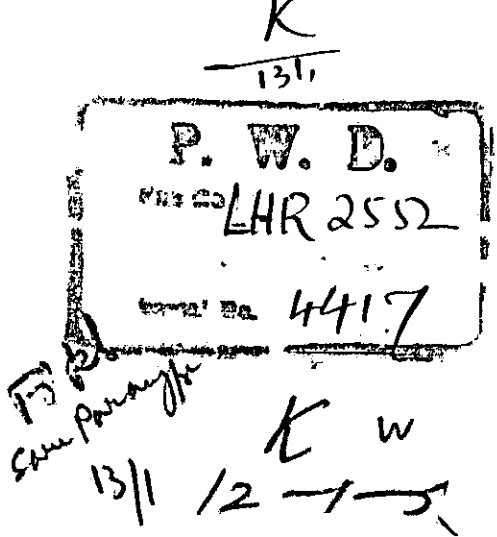
Sir,

With reference to your letter No. LHR 2552 K-2 dated 5th Jan., 1953 we have to bring to your kind notice that the remaining 1/4th area of D.C. supply will be converted into A.C. before the end of February or earlier if possible.

Yours faithfully,
FOR MANVI BROTHERS. GADAG.

V. R Bhat

MANAGER: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Submitted with a draft for approval.

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~~Asst.(PS)~~

D.S. (P&E)

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[Below copy of letter, dtd. 9-1-53, p41 45 from the manager, Manvi Bros., Godaga, reg. elec. supply at Haveri].

No. LHR 2552 K.

P.W.D.
B.C. (B'berg No. 1)
16th Jan 1953.

Copy forwarded to the el. engr. to Govt. for remarks if any with refce. to his G.E. No. LHR 2552 K-2, dtd. 5/1/53. p39

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By order etc.,
Asst. to S. of B., P.W.D.

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No. LRH64 | 18493 of 1953.
P.W.D. Offices, Churchgate Street,
Fort, Bombay(1), 6th March 1953.

To

The Chief Engineer (Roads and Buildings),
Public Works Department, Bombay.

Subject:- Electric supply at Haveri.

Reference: Government endorsement, Public Works Department No.LHR 2552 K, dated 16th January 1953.

It has been reported that the remaining 1/4 area of D.C. supply has since been converted into A.C. one and the whole town now receives A.C. supply.

Electrical Engineer to Government.

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K.Br. P.W.D.

Submitted the information with refce. to yr. No. LHR 255 K-2, dt. the 5-1-53.

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17-3-53 Thro. D.E (I)